What is claimed is:

1.   A wiper blade attached to a wiper arm swingably provided on a vehicle and wiping a windshield by swingably moving on said windshield, said wiper blade comprising:

a blade rubber touching said windshield;

a rubber holder having a plurality of holding bridges for holding said blade rubber and rod-shaped spring members for connecting said holding bridges to one another at specified intervals, said rubber holder being elastically deformable in a direction perpendicular to said windshield; and

excessive deformation restricting means for restricting deformation of said rod-shaped spring member within a range of elastic deformation when excessive bending force is applied to said rubber holder.

2.   The wiper blade according to claim 1,

wherein said adjacent holding bridges are provided with interfering portions which interfere with each other when excessive bending force is applied to said rubber holder.

3.   The wiper blade according to claim 1, further comprising:

a plurality of deformation restricting blocks provided between said holding bridges adjacent to each other and sandwiched between said holding bridges when excessive bending force is applied to said rubber holder.

4.   The wiper blade according to claim 3, further comprising:

linking strip portions for connecting said deformation restricting blocks to one another,

wherein the distance between said adjacent deformation restricting blocks is restricted when excessive bending force is applied to said rubber holder.

5.   The wiper blade according to claim 1, further comprising:

restricting means for restricting the distance between said adjacent holding bridges when excessive bending force is applied to said rubber holder.

6.   The wiper blade according to claim 2,

wherein said holding bridge is formed by a steel plate and said interfering portion is formed by bending a body portion of said holding bridge.

7.   The wiper blade according to claim 6, further comprising:

restricting means for restricting the distance between said adjacent interfering portions.